

## DECLARATION COMBINED WITH POWER OF ATTORNEY

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Attorney Docket No. CM2696F

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I believe I am the original and first inventor or inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled A microbial oxidoreductase  
the specification of which(check one) ☒ is attached hereto.  
☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as United States Application No. or  
PCT International Application No. \_\_\_\_\_  
and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
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Prior Foreign Application(s)			Priority Claimed
<u>02447168.2</u>	<u>EP</u>	<u>06 September 2002</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	Yes No

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Serial No.	Filing Date	Application Serial No.	Filing Date
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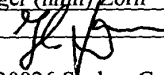
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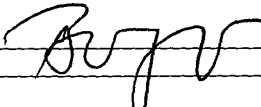
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